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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 28, 2007, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-9.

Claims 1, 5-7, 10, 13, 17, 21, 27, 30, 39 and 41-45 are amended.

Claims 18, 22 and 24-26 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Remarks begin on page 10.